

From: Jan Hvilsted
To: microsoft.atr(a)usdoj.gov
Date: 1/25/02 11:27am
Subject: Microsoft Settlement

To whom it may concern,

I don't agree with the proposed settlement between the Department of Justice and Microsoft.

A major reason for my position in this matter is that I'm the owner of several Microsoft licenses ranging from Windows 95 to Windows NT.

I have never used any of the Windows operating systems, but it is and has for many years been impossible to buy any brand name computer without it being preloaded with a Microsoft operating system.

As you can understand, I have been 'forced' to pay licenses for Microsoft's products I have never wanted, requested or even used, just because I wanted to buy a brand name computer.

The first thing I have always done is installing a different operating system (IBM's OS/2 and lately Serenity System's eComStation), without even booting the preloaded Microsoft operating system.

Thank for listening and best regards

Jan Hvilsted
hvilsted@adslhome.dk